



Memo To: Carlyn Prisk  
RE: Lower Darby Creek Area/Clearview Landfill  
Subject: Ed Lafferty & Sons Trash Removal  
Date: June 26, 2002

On June 20, 2002 and June 21, 2002, I attempted to contact and interview Ed Lafferty, Jr. at his residence at [REDACTED]. There was no one home on either occasion.

On June 22, 2002, I contacted the Ed Lafferty, Jr. residence by telephone [REDACTED]. The telephone was answered by Gloria Lafferty, the wife of Ed Lafferty, Jr.

I identified myself and advised Mrs. Lafferty of the purpose for my telephone call. Mrs. Lafferty stated that Mr. Lafferty is 85-years old had just gotten out of the hospital after an extended stay and was not well enough to meet with me or talk to me on the telephone. I then asked Mrs. Lafferty if her husband was the former owner and operator of Ed Lafferty & Sons Trash Company.

Mrs. Lafferty stated yes and advised that this company had been sold to Richie Heller in the mid 1960s and that all of the trucks became part of Mr. Heller's trash company known as City Wide Services.

When asked to describe the trash company Ed Lafferty, Jr. operated, Mrs. Lafferty stated that he had two rear-end loader trucks and that he had a contract for 2-3 years in the mid-1960s with Darby Township to pick up residential waste in Darby Township. Mrs. Lafferty stated that Ed Lafferty and Sons did not pick up industrial waste and had no other contracts besides Darby Township. Mrs. Lafferty stated that Heller took over the Darby Township contract when he purchased her husband's trash company.

When asked where Ed Lafferty & Sons disposed of the waste they picked up, Mrs. Lafferty stated that she believed all of the waste was disposed of at the dump operated by Richie Heller off of 84<sup>th</sup> Street. She was unable to provide any further information.

When asked the names of other truck drivers that worked for Ed Lafferty & Sons, Mrs. Lafferty stated that all the ones she can remember have passed away.

I provided Mrs. Lafferty with my cell phone number and she agreed to contact me when her husband was in better health.

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